

REMARKS

Claims 1-26 remain in the application. Claims 1-26 have been rejected. Claims 1 and 18-21 has been amended. Applicant requests reconsideration of the rejections in view of the amendments and remarks.

REJECTION UNDER 35 U.S.C. §102

In the Office Action, the Examiner rejected claims 1-26 under 35 U.S.C. 102(e) as being anticipated by Sawada (US 6,909,902). Claim 1, as amended, requires a transmitter for transmitting directions to the wireless unit, the directions including information directing a user of the wireless unit to the target location; wherein the target location is more likely to result in better reception and transmission of wireless signals to and from a wireless access point. Sawada on the other hand is directed at determining where a mobile device is given some radio information. Sawada does not teach or suggest transmitting directions to a location where better reception can be obtained. Claims 2-17 are dependent on claim 1 and are not anticipated by Sawada at least for the same reasons that claim 1 is not.

Claim 18 is a computer readable medium that comprises computer code for providing directions to the wireless client to the target location for improved communication. Sawada does not teach or suggest this limitation. Claims 19-21 are dependent on claim 18 and hence are not anticipated by Sawada at least for the same reasons that claim 18 is not.

Claim 22 is directed to a wireless communication system that comprises processor logic for determining a target location for the wireless telecommunication unit based in part on information representing a recent location of the wireless unit, wherein the target location is more likely to result in better reception of wireless signals. Sawada, col. 1, lines 12-15. Sawada is directed to radio base station equipment. Sawada does not teach or suggest a wireless communication unit with a processor as stated above. Claims 23-26 are dependent on claim 22 and hence are not anticipated by Sawada at least for the same reasons that claim 22 is not.

For the foregoing reasons, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the amendment and allowance of the pending claims.

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